Tentative Syllabus Philosophy 102 Intermediate Symbolic Logic Winter, 2012

Lecture: 216 Wellman, MWF 1:10-2:00 Instructor: Dr. G. J. Mattey Office: 2298 Social Science and Humanities E-Mail: gjmattey@ucdavis.edu Phone: (530) 554-4950 Office Hours: TBA

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Topic: The course covers first-order predicate logic at a basic level. Students will learn the symbolism of predicate logic, natural-language and formal interpretations of predicate logic, and derivations in predicate logic.

Readings: All readings for the course will be linked to the class Web page.

Assignments: All assignments will be posted on the class Web page.

Final Examination: Wednesday, March 21, 1:00-3:00 P.M.

Grades will be based on two midterms (30% each) and a final examination (40%). The final will be comprehensive, with most of its content being drawn from material in the final segment of the course. All examinations must be taken at the time scheduled, unless prior permission to change the time is given by the instructor. All work must be completed for the course to be passed. Incompletes will be given only if the instructor is consulted before the final examination.

Cell Phone Policy: Cell phones must be turned off while class is in session, unless the student obtains prior permission from the instructor to leave his or her phone on. Students observed using cell phones during class will be asked to turn them off. Subsequent use will result in the student being asked to leave the class for the rest of the session.

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